

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:
 LANGBERG *et al.*

Application No.: 10/715,221

Filing Date: November 17, 2003

For: PERCUTANEOUS MITRAL
ANNULOPLASTY WITH CARDIAC
RHYTHM MANAGEMENT

Group Art Unit: 3738

Confirmation No.: 5022

Examiner: Stewart, Jason-Dennis N.

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Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION MAILED ON AUGUST 31, 2009

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office action mailed August 31, 2009, a two-month extension of time from November 31, 2009 to February 1, 2010 (January 31 being a Sunday) for response to which is hereby respectfully requested, please consider the above-referenced application in view of the following amendments and remarks:

Amendments to the Claims begin on **page 2** of this paper.

Remarks begin on **page 9**.